

## TANEY COUNTY REPUBLICAN

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### Schiff's "Independent" Movement.

Jacob Schiff was not in favor of Marshall as Vice-Presidential candidate. He wanted a "stronger" candidate. Schiff is one of the backers of the "independent" movement, which has headquarters in Washington, for the reelection of president Wilson. Schiff and 25 other kale-controlling Democrats put up the coin. The prime object of this "independent" movement was to drive a wedge between Republicans and Progressives. The se-back they received at Chicago made them white around the gills; concluded to make another play, and by securing the nomination of an unconstructed Progressive to succeed Marshall, carry a few thousand of his kind over into the Democratic camp. But Tom beat them out, and now the "independent" movement is in a hard way. As it makes its sluggish journey side by side with the main body of the Democracy, to the November slough of despond, we can almost hear it say: "See us apples float".

Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson, and son, Ernest, and baby daughter, Wilma, went to Garrison last Sunday for a short visit with relatives near there. Mrs. Nelson and the baby returned Monday evening, while Mr. Nelson and the boy will remain a few days longer to help out in the harvest.

The rush to the Republican big tent foreshadows a vote for the ticket so large that Democrats might as well prepare the motion to make it unanimous.—Omaha Bee.

## Missouri to Hold Centennial Celebration

Seventy-seven counties of the state have organized county centennial committees to arouse interest in the celebration of the centennial of Missouri's statehood which will be held in 1920 and 1921. County organization is being effected through the work of the nominating "committee of five," which was appointed by the State Historical Society to select the State Centennial Committee of 1000. This larger committee is to devise plans for the celebration. Floyd C. Shoemaker, secretary of the State Historical Society at the University of Missouri, is secretary of the nominating committee. The State Centennial Committee of 1000 will meet for the first time in Kansas City this fall. The exact date of the meeting has not been fixed.

Besides a big state celebration at one place, it is planned to hold celebrations in each county, city and town in the state.

"The feature of the celebration," says Mr. Shoemaker, "is to provide a great homecoming for Missouri's sons and daughters. The celebration has been planned in sufficient time to assure success."

C. H. Groom, R. C. Ford and J. G. Root had some experience in returning home from the Ozark Trails convention in Springfield last week that was a little out of the ordinary. They left Ozark Thursday afternoon and on account of some engine trouble or something becoming the matter with the dingy, of the duzeetter, or some other part of their gasoline carriage, were compelled to stay on the road until about eleven o'clock Friday night, when they were brought home in another car. They claim they had a good time and made they did.

Two railroad companies have employed more than 300 graduates of the telegraph department of the Springfield Business College, and are calling for more every month. Every young man who would like to be a station agent, operator or train dispatcher should write J. A. Taylor for a special telegraph catalog.

## How Alcohol Harms Body and Mind

"With summer weather coming on the thirst for alcohol in the shape of beer and other drinks increases. Alcohol was formerly considered a valuable medicine, but today its use for this purpose is extremely restricted. Only in a few cases of diabetes, fever and pneumonia, where an energy producing substance is needed, is it advantageous," says Dr. M. P. Ravenel of the department of preventive medicine at University of Missouri.

According to Dr. Ravenel, alcohol does not build tissue nor store food in the tissues. On the other hand it has a poisonous, narcotic action. As a food it is too expensive. While one may get energy from 10 cents' worth of beer amounting to 240 calories, the same amount of money spent on eggs would give 450, on bread 2080, on corn meal 3310, on oat meal 3720.

Use of alcohol reduces one's physical power about 8 per cent below normal while mental efficiency is reduced from 3 to 27 per cent by moderate dosing. The effect on the death rate is strikingly significant. Comparing abstainers, those who rarely use alcohol, temperate people, and moderate drinkers, we find the following: Abstainers show a 17 per cent smaller death rate than those who rarely use alcohol, 29 per cent less than the so-called temperate people, and 23 per cent less than those who call themselves moderate drinkers.

From an economic and social standpoint, alcohol lessens efficiency and productivity in industrial work, and is one of the great causes of poverty, destitution and crime. The annual cost of the production and importation of alcoholic beverages in the United States is about \$610,000,000 a year.

Miss Fay Sires came in Sunday from Springfield where she has been attending the State Normal, and will remain here awhile until the fall term of her school opens.

County Clerk Gideon returned last Friday evening from a few days stay at Springfield where he went to consult a physician.

## GARBER

The weather has been very hot for the last few days with the thermometer hanging around the ninety and above, but we are blessed with cool and recuperating nights and barring a few flares and ticks to annoy us occasionally, our lot is not so bad.

Since the heavy rain a week ago Sunday that packed the ground, or our farmers are now wishing for more to help out in the plowing.

E. A. Drumm left Sunday evening for Garden City, Kan., to look after some cattle and will return soon to his place here purchased from W. W. Walden, to take up where Mr. Walden leaves off. Mr. Walden has contracted for a farm near Bergman, Ark., and will move there soon.

Misses Josie and Ethel Walden came in from Springfield last Sunday where they are attending the normal, to spend a day or two with the family before they move.

Dr. Rhodes and wife of Kansas City, stopped at Garber from their trip to Marvel cave and took train for home after a couple of weeks on the lake, and several others have made this point their starting place for home after seeing the sights that the hills have in store for them.

Mrs. C. J. of Gretna came to Garber Monday evening to spend the 4th with her children.

As this is a national holiday all business is closed up in our town and those that do not go to Branson will picnic in the grove just under the bluff from Garber.

J. H. Mallet with his bridge crew are yet at Garber, and are putting the trestle work in good repair.

While we are enjoying ourselves at home with all the comfort, it is well to think of the many young men that have been taken to Mexican border and are deprived of home companions, but have the heat and insects of that climate to while away their time.

Expectant war with Mexico has drawn all the interest from the European fracas that seems to have taken a different turn the last few days in favor of the Allies if they can hold it.

## PINETOP

Mrs. J. R. Ewbanks visited at Joe Powers last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Darrel and daughter May and Mr. and Mrs. Littleton, of Omaha, Arkansas, came out to visit with Mrs. S. A. Southard who has been sick for some time.

Mrs. Joe Powers is quite sick again.

Mrs. W. W. Southard and S. L. Huntley visited in Omaha Tuesday of last week.

Rev. J. R. Ewbanks and family was in Pinetop Sunday. Mr. Ewbanks preached at the School house in the morning and spent the rest of the day at the home of W. W. Southard.

Alva Powers has been quite ill with the measles.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. David passed to the great beyond early Sunday morning, the little one had been seriously sick only a short time, and never well from birth. Mr. and Mrs. David have the sympathy of the friends and neighbors in the loss of the little one. But the angels called, and in the ways of an all-wise providence, it was best that he should go—"He carries the lamp in his bosom."

## Taney County Teachers Attending The Springfield Normal

Following is a list of the names of Taney County Teachers attending the summer term of Springfield Normal as given by County Superintendent John W. Bernett:

J. C. Brightwell.  
Jean Sammers.  
Ida Bowles.  
Fay Stiles.  
Hetty Beck.  
Ethel Walden.  
William Faust.  
Vernon James.  
Edna Savage.  
Walter Owen.  
Pearl Brown.  
Tressie Dugger.  
Winnie Shipman.  
Elizabeth Moses.  
Miss Laura Wilson.  
Roy Evans.  
Helen Davidson.  
Glady's Trump.  
Frank Owen.  
Claud Johnson.

## FOR U. S. SENATOR

Those who know Walter S. Dickey know that he is, first of all, a patriot and after that a Republican whose devotion to his party is based on his conviction that it stands for what is best in Nation and State and who is therefore incapable of being swayed from party loyalty by any consideration of merely personal ambition or aggrandizement, either for himself or anybody else. That's the sort of Republican Walter S. Dickey has always been. He gave the party more than thirty years of unselfish and forceful service before he became a candidate for favors at its hands. Mr. Dickey is a candidate for the nomination for United States Senator because assurances have come to him from all parts of the state that his nomination will strengthen the ticket and help to guarantee its victory. He considers that no man ought to be nominated for any office unless he is the strongest man that can be chosen for that place, because he regards Republican victory this year of more importance than any man's personal ambition.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of S. J. Williams deceased, have been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Taney County, Missouri, bearing date the 15th day of June 1916. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance, within six months from the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if said claim be not exhibited within one year from the date of the publication of this notice, will be forever barred.

JOHN S. G. WILLIAMS,  
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## TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the interest now due on the note secured by deed of trust executed by Kasper Goetz and Anna Goetz, his wife, to S. W. Howell, trustee, dated November 11, 1914, recorded in Book 45 page 8 of the deed records of Taney County, Missouri, and S. W. Howell, the trustee in said deed of trust, having refused to act as such, and it being provided in said deed of trust that in the event of the refusal of said trustee to act, that the then acting sheriff of Taney County, Missouri, might act in such capacity, I, the undersigned, at the request of the holder of said note, I will, on Friday the 17th day of July 1916, at the court house door in the town of Forsyth, Taney County, Missouri, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. of that day sell at public vendue for cash the lands in said deed of trust conveyed, to-wit: Lot 7 SW 1/4 Sec 2 SW 1/4 Sec 14 SW 1/4 Sec 14 and Lots 2 and 3 NW 1/4 Sec 11 Twp 26 Range 25 containing 66 acres, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and interest thereon together with the costs of executing this trust.

N. D. BOLES,  
Sheriff of Taney Co., Mo., and acting trustee.  
Chas. H. Groom, Atty for Beneficiary.  
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## SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION.

By virtue and authority of a decree in partition and an order of sale made by the circuit court of Taney County, Missouri, on the 25th day of April, 1916, at the April term thereof, in a cause therein pending, wherein Grace Blaine Mills was plaintiff and Samuel E. Mills was defendant, a duly certified copy of said order of sale being delivered by the Clerk of said court to the undersigned sheriff on the 25th day of May, 1916, I will on the 7th day of July, 1916, during the session of said circuit court, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of that day at the south door of the court house in Forsyth, Taney County, Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest of said parties to said cause in and to following real estate described in said order of sale, and situated in Taney County, Missouri, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter (sec 14 NW 1/4 of Section 14 NW 1/4 Township twenty-one (21) Range eighteen (18), and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter (SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4) of Section twenty-two (22) Range eighteen (18) containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres.

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7.75 acres, the west one-half of lot five, (SW 1/2 lot 5) southeast quarter of section twenty-three (23) sec 14 SW 1/4 Sec 14, the west one-half (SW 1/2) southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of section twenty-one (21) all in township twenty-two (22) range twenty-two (22) containing all 157.75 acres.

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## William S. Dickey.

Thomas Gray.  
Josie Walden.  
Bernard Bird.  
Eddie Clark.  
Alma Nichols.  
Gorgia McManima.  
Mae Johnson.  
Mr. and Mrs. John W. Bennett.

Judge Henry B. B. de, chief engineer of the office of State Highway Commissioner F. W. Bullion of Jefferson City, returned to Forsyth Monday from Branson and put in a part of the day looking over the records in the office of the county clerk and talking with the good roads boosters about the same. Judge Bode says he is coming down into this part of the state on a pleasure trip some of these days, and spend a week or two just looking around. Come on, we like to have you around.

## Candidates

## Announcements.

### For U. S. Senator.

We are authorized to announce T. J. Atkins of St. Louis as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of U. S. Senator, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

### For Member of Congress, 14th Dist.

We are authorized to announce former Speaker, David W. Hill, of Poplar Bluff, Mo., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Representative in Congress from the 14th Missouri district, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce Robert J. Smith of Campbell, Mo., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Representative in Congress from the 11th district, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce Henry S. Wilson of Ava, Missouri, as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Representative in Congress from the 11th district, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

### For Circuit Judge, 31st Circuit.

We are authorized to announce Hon. J. T. Moore, of Union, Mo., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Judge of the Circuit Court of the 31st Judicial Circuit, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce Hon. W. E. Rector, of Galena, Mo., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Judge of the Circuit Court of the 31st Judicial Circuit, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce Fred Stewart of Ava, Douglas county, as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Judge of the Thirty-first Judicial Circuit of Missouri, subject to the Republican voters at the primary election August 1, 1916.

### For Representative

We are authorized to announce Hon. Gay R. Mitchell of Branson, Mo., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Representative in the General Assembly, subject to the general primary, Aug. 1, 1916.

### Judge of the County Court.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Holaday of Hollister, as a candidate for nomination on the Republican ticket for Judge of the County Court of the 31st Judicial Circuit, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce Joe G. Haskins of Proctor, as a candidate for nomination on the Republican ticket for Judge of the County Court of the 31st Judicial Circuit, subject to the general primary August 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce A. J. Craig of Walnut Shade, as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Judge of the County Court, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

### For Sheriff

We are authorized to announce J. R. Connelley of Branson, Mo., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Sheriff, subject to the general primary August 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce James S. Hines of Hickman, Mo., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Sheriff, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

### For Assessor

We are authorized to announce Otis A. Barchman, of Kirksville, Mo., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of county Assessor, subject to the general primary August 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce J. W. A. Kettley of Walnut Shade, as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of County Assessor, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce Joe Jenkins, of Kiefer, as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of county assessor, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce B. G. McKelvey of Bradleyville, Mo., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of county assessor, subject to the general primary August 1, 1916.

### For Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce Arthur James as a candidate for re-nomination to the office of County Treasurer on the Republican ticket, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

### For Surveyor

We are authorized to announce N. D. W. Hines of Taneyville, Mo., as a candidate for the office of county Surveyor, on the Republican ticket, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

### Prosecuting Attorney

We are authorized to announce William R. Adams as a candidate for re-nomination to the office of Prosecuting Attorney of Taney county, on the Republican ticket, subject to the general primary, Aug. 1, 1916.

We are authorized to announce D. F. McCorky as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Prosecuting Attorney of Taney County, subject to the general primary, August 1, 1916.

# Federal Inquiry or Railroad Strike?

Faced by demands from the conductors, engineers, firemen and brakemen that would impose on the country an additional burden in transportation costs of \$100,000,000 a year, the railroads propose that this wage problem be settled by reference to an impartial Federal tribunal.

With these employees, whose efficient service is acknowledged, the railroads have no differences that could not be considered fairly and decided justly by such a public body.

## Railroads Urge Public Inquiry and Arbitration

The formal proposal of the railroads to the employees for the settlement of the controversy is as follows:

"Our conferences have demonstrated that we cannot harmonize our differences of opinion and that eventually the matter in controversy must be passed upon by other and disinterested agencies. Therefore, we propose that your proposals and the proposition of the railroads be disposed of by one or the other of the following methods:

1. Preferably by submission to the Interstate Commerce Commission, the only tribunal which, by reason of its accumulated information bearing on railway conditions and its control of the revenue of the railways, is in a position to consider and protect the rights and equities of all the interests affected, and to provide additional revenue necessary to meet the added cost of operation in case your proposals are found by the Commission to be just and reasonable; or, in the event the Interstate Commerce Commission cannot, under existing laws, act in the premises, that we jointly request Congress to take such action as may be necessary to enable the Commission to consider and promptly dispose of the questions involved; or

2. By arbitration in accordance with the provisions of the Federal law" (The Newlands Act).

## Leaders Refuse Offer and Take Strike Vote

Leaders of the train service brotherhoods, at the joint conference held in New York, June 1-15, refused the offer of the railroads to submit the issue to arbitration or Federal review, and the employees are now voting on the question whether authority shall be given these leaders to declare a nation-wide strike.

The Interstate Commerce Commission is proposed by the railroads as the public body to which this issue ought to be referred for these reasons:

No other body with such an intimate knowledge of railroad conditions has such an unquestioned position in the public confidence.

The rates the railroads may charge the public for transportation are now largely fixed by this Government board.

Out of every dollar received by the railroads from the public nearly one-half is paid directly to the employees as wages; and the money to pay increased wages can come from no other source than the rates paid by the public.

The Interstate Commerce Commission, with its control over rates, is in a position to make a complete investigation and render such decision as would protect the interests of the railroad employees, the owners of the railroads, and the public.

## A Question For the Public to Decide

The railroads feel that they have no right to grant a wage preferment of \$100,000,000 a year to these employees, now highly paid and constituting only one-fifth of all the employees, without a clear mandate from a public tribunal that shall determine the merits of the case after a review of all the facts.

The single issue before the country is whether this controversy is to be settled by an impartial Government inquiry or by industrial warfare.

## National Conference Committee of the Railways

ELISHA LEE, Chairman  
P. R. ALBRIGHT, Gen'l Manager,  
Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.  
L. W. BALDWIN, Gen'l Manager,  
Central of Georgia Railway.  
C. L. BARDON, Gen'l Manager,  
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.  
E. H. COAPMAN, Vice President,  
Southern Railway.  
B. E. COTTER, Gen'l Manager,  
Wabash Railway.  
P. E. CROWLEY, Asst. Vice-President,  
New York Central Railway.

G. H. EMERSON, Gen'l Manager,  
Great Northern Railway.  
C. H. EWING, Gen'l Manager,  
Philadelphia & Reading Railway.  
E. W. GRICE, Gen'l Supt. Transp.,  
Chesapeake & Ohio Railway.  
A. S. GRIGG, Asst. to President,  
St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad.  
C. W. KOUNS, Gen'l Manager,  
Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway.  
H. W. McMASTER, Gen'l Manager,  
Wheeling & Lake Erie Railroad.

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Norfolk & Western Railway.  
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Denver & Rio Grande Railway.  
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J. L. STONE, Vice-President,  
Erie Railroad.  
G. S. WAID, Vice-Pres. & Gen'l Mgr.,  
Burlington Railroad.